

## **AGENDA**

*Policy Challenges Conference:  
Effective Literacy and English Language Instruction for  
English Learners in the Elementary Grades, co-sponsored with Area Cooperative  
Educational Services (ACES)*

October 22, 2010  
Area Cooperative Educational Services (ACES)  
Hamden, Connecticut

<b>9:00–9:10 AM</b>	<b>Welcome and Review of Agenda/Outcomes</b> Area Cooperative Educational Services (ACES) REL Northeast & Islands
<b>9:10–9:30 AM</b>	<b>Introduction/Prior Knowledge Activity</b> ACES
<b>9:30–9:50 AM</b>	<b>Jigsaw Activity</b> ACES
<b>9:50–10:00 AM</b>	<b>Break</b>
<b>10:00–10:10 AM</b>	<b>Practice Guide Introduction</b> Dr. Robin Scarcella, University of California, Irvine
<b>10:10–10:30 AM</b>	<b>Target Recommendation 1</b> Dr. Scarcella will review the first of two target recommendations to be investigated in depth.
<b>10:30–10:50 AM</b>	<b>Use of Recommendations Activity</b> Districts will explore the use of the recommendations in their district.
<b>10:50–11:00 AM</b>	<b>Q &amp; A with Dr. Scarcella</b>
<b>11:00–11:20 AM</b>	<b>Target Recommendation 2</b> Dr. Scarcella will review the second of two target recommendations to be investigated in depth.

**11:20–11:40 AM**

**Use of Recommendations Activity**

Districts will explore the use of the recommendations in their district.

**11:40–11:50 AM**

**Q & A with Dr. Scarcella**

**11:50 AM–12:00 PM**

**Closing and Next Steps**